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The reply filed on 9/17/03 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant was previously sent a non-responsive letter because the reply filed 5/12/03 failed to elect a single ultimate disclosed specie of each oligomer. Specifically, monomeric units were identified but the end groups E1 and E2 in each oligomer were not identified. In the response of 9/17/03 applicant elects E1 and E2 to be hydrogen, as opposed to making a specific election for the E1 and E2 of each oligomer. Further, the claim does not permit both E1 and E2 to both be hydrogen for the first oligomer, i.e., only one of E1 and E2 can be hydrogen.

Since the period for reply set forth in the prior Office action has expired, this application will become abandoned unless applicant corrects the deficiency and obtains an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The date on which the petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the appropriate extension fee have been filed is the date for purposes of determining the period of extension and the corresponding amount of the fee. In no case may an applicant reply outside the SIX (6) MONTH statutory period or obtain an extension for more than FIVE (5) MONTHS beyond the date for reply set forth in an Office action. A fully responsive reply must be timely filed to avoid abandonment of this application.

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